



PATENT APPLICATION

Our Docket No. 960514.CON

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re App : JOHN R. MOSER, JR. : November 30, 2000
S.N. : 09/088,163 : Art Unit 3641
Filed : June 1, 1998 : Examiner E. Miller
For : REDUCED ENERGY BINDER : PAPER NO. 14
FOR ENERGETIC COMPOSITIONS

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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Dear Sir:

This paper in response to an Official Action dated August 1, 2000. Although the original shortened statutory period was set to expire on November 1, 2000, a Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the required fee, is submitted herewith to extend that deadline until December 1, 2000.

It is requested that the following amendments be entered:

IN THE CLAIMS

Rewrite claim 38 as follows:

38(Amended). An improved propellant composition comprising a fuel, reduced energy binder, and an oxidizer, wherein said